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**Committee Bill No. 6347**

LCO No. 4477

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Referred to Committee on Public Safety and Security

Introduced by:  
(PS )

**AN ACT AUTHORIZING BONDS OF THE STATE FOR CAPITAL  
IMPROVEMENTS TO REGIONAL FIRE SCHOOLS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General  
Assembly convened:

1       Section 1. (*Effective July 1, 2007*) (a) For the purposes described in  
2       subsection (b) of this section, the State Bond Commission shall have  
3       the power, from time to time, to authorize the issuance of bonds of the  
4       state in one or more series and in principal amounts not exceeding in  
5       the aggregate fifteen million dollars.

6       (b) The proceeds of the sale of said bonds, to the extent of the  
7       amount stated in subsection (a) of this section, shall be used by the  
8       Department of Public Works for the purpose of funding the projects  
9       identified in the Connecticut Firefighters Education Committee  
10      Facilities Study conducted by said department.

11      (c) All provisions of section 3-20 of the general statutes, or the  
12      exercise of any right or power granted thereby, which are not  
13      inconsistent with the provisions of this section are hereby adopted and  
14      shall apply to all bonds authorized by the State Bond Commission  
15      pursuant to this section, and temporary notes in anticipation of the

16 money to be derived from the sale of any such bonds so authorized  
17 may be issued in accordance with said section 3-20 and from time to  
18 time renewed. Such bonds shall mature at such time or times not  
19 exceeding twenty years from their respective dates as may be provided  
20 in or pursuant to the resolution or resolutions of the State Bond  
21 Commission authorizing such bonds. None of said bonds shall be  
22 authorized except upon a finding by the State Bond Commission that  
23 there has been filed with it a request for such authorization which is  
24 signed by or on behalf of the Secretary of the Office of Policy and  
25 Management and states such terms and conditions as said commission,  
26 in its discretion, may require. Said bonds issued pursuant to this  
27 section shall be general obligations of the state and the full faith and  
28 credit of the state of Connecticut are pledged for the payment of the  
29 principal of and interest on said bonds as the same become due, and  
30 accordingly and as part of the contract of the state with the holders of  
31 said bonds, appropriation of all amounts necessary for punctual  
32 payment of such principal and interest is hereby made, and the State  
33 Treasurer shall pay such principal and interest as the same become  
34 due.

35       Sec. 2. (*Effective July 1, 2008*) (a) For the purposes described in  
36 subsection (b) of this section, the State Bond Commission shall have  
37 the power, from time to time, to authorize the issuance of bonds of the  
38 state in one or more series and in principal amounts not exceeding in  
39 the aggregate fifteen million dollars.

40       (b) The proceeds of the sale of said bonds, to the extent of the  
41 amount stated in subsection (a) of this section, shall be used by the  
42 Department of Public Works for the purpose of funding the projects  
43 identified in the Connecticut Firefighters Education Committee  
44 Facilities Study conducted by said department.

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 67 Treasurer shall pay such principal and interest as the same become  
 68 due.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	New section
Sec. 2	<i>July 1, 2008</i>	New section

**Statement of Purpose:**

To authorize bonding for the capital improvement of regional fire schools.

*[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]*

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